

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B.S.A.

DATE August 20, 1963

Full Name MURPHY, AUSTIN D.

(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

601 S. Bowman Avenue

Address

City Merion Station

State Pa.

Age 31 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

✓ Religion PRESBYTERIAN Nationality ENGLISH

✓ Occupation PRODUCTION FOREMAN - HARMONIC ROLL CORP, Rosemont, Pa.

✓ Education LEHIGH UNIVERSITY, FOUR YEARS

Weight 155 Color white Height 5'7"

Color of hair light brown Color of eyes blue

Outstanding characteristics or interests CAMPING - CANOEING - JUDO - SWIMMING

✓ Married or single SINGLE Children 1  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

✓ Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

Unit #	City	State	Office	Date Reg'd.	Date resigned
<u>Troop 449</u>	<u>WYNNEWOOD</u>	<u>PA.</u>	<u>A.S.M.</u>	<u>11/10/59</u>	<u>8/19/63</u>
			<u>S.M.</u>	<u>3/12/60</u>	

Special recognition NONE

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Signed

Eugene S. Tade  
Scout Executive  
District of Phil Swire

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August 20, 1963

Mr. Eugene S. Tade  
Director of Field Service  
Valley Forge Council, No. 507

PERSONNEL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Austin D. Murphy,  
Scoutmaster, Troop 449

Dear Mr. Tade:

Thank you very much for your letter dated August 19 and the enclosed correspondence concerning Mr. Austin D. Murphy, Scoutmaster of Troop 449. We have placed this information in our file and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Troop roster.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would appreciate your filling out and returning to us. This information will enable us to identify Mr. Murphy, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

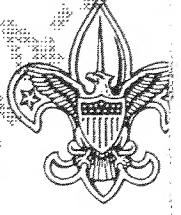
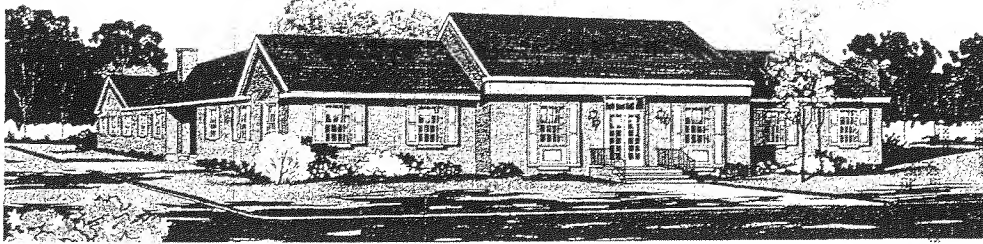
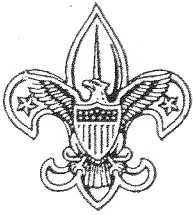
Sincerely yours,  
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration

HB:jw  
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August 19, 1963

Mr. Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration  
National Council, B.S.A.  
New Brunswick, New Jersey

REF: Austin D. Murphy

Dear Howard:

We request that the above individual be placed in the Confidential File and be removed from the roster of our Scout Troop 449, District #16, Valley Forge Council #507, where he is currently registered as Scoutmaster.

This man lives at 601 S. Bowman Avenue, Merion Station, Pa., is 31 years of age, height 5'7", weight 155 lbs., blue eyes, light brown hair, light frame, ruddy complexion, with specific charge of morals as per signed parental and boy statements and statement by District Commissioner herewith enclosed.

Cordially yours,

*Eugene S. Tade*

Eugene S. Tade  
Director of Field Service

Enclosures



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August 16, 1963

Dr. [REDACTED] contacted Clifford G. Walters, District Commissioner, and explained to him that he had heard that a few boys at Scout camp did not stay two weeks as planned, but left camp after only one week. He explained that he heard that this was due to a "short arm" inspection. In investigating this, we found it consisted of individual boys going into the Scoutmaster's tent, flap closed, and being examined by feeling the stomach, testicle, and generally in that area. This happened many times during the week. It was also verbally suggested that perversion denotes manhood by the Scoutmaster Austin Murphy. This man, because of strange happenings at week end camp trips, has been watched for two years. This information was substantiated by the enclosed statement by a Scout who was in camp.

Clifford G. Walters  
Dist. Comm. Man. Line

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AUGUST 15, 1963

I, [REDACTED], was given a short arm inspection  
by Scoutmaster Austin Murphy of Troop 449 in Wynnewood, Pa.  
This inspection was given at Camp Delmont. My Troop  
is Bryn Mawr <sup>226</sup>~~256~~ of Valley Forge Council.

Signed: [REDACTED]

Parents signature: [REDACTED]

Clifford G. Walters - Dist Comm. Main Line  
51 Wynnedale Rd  
Narberth, Pa

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